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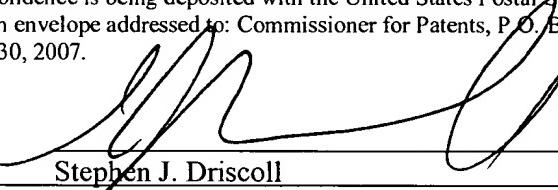
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SYSTEM AND METHOD

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This is in reply to the office action of August 31, 2006 in connection with the above-identified application. Applicant also petitions hereby for a two-month extension of time, thereby extending the time for response through January 31, 2007. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, any deficiencies that may arise, and to credit any overpayment which may be owed to Applicant in connection with this action and application in general to Deposit Account No. 19-5425.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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